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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)

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| INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP98/08057 | INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 10 December 1998 (10.12.98) | PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED: 02 February 1998 (02.02.98) | | | | |
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| TITLE OF INVENTION METHOD AND ARRANGEMENTS FOR GENERATING BINARY SEQUENCES OF RANDOM NUMBERS | | | | | | |
| APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US DULTZ, Wolfgang; DULTZ, Gisela; HILDEBRANDT, Eric; and SCHMITZER, Heidrun | | | | | | |
| Applicant(s) herewith submits to the United States information | Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/ | JS) the following items and other | | | | |
| . ☑ This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. | | | | | | |
| This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. | | | | | | |
| 3. Mathematical This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) immediately rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1). | | | | | | |
| 4. A proper Demand for International Preliminary Exam | ination was made by the 19th month from the | earliest claimed priority date. | | | | |
| 5. ⊠ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U. | S.C. 371(c)(2)) | | | | | |
| a. \square is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmit | a. is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). | | | | | |
| b. ⊠ has been transmitted by the International Bureau. | | | | | | |
| c. \square is not required, as the application was filed in the U | nited States Receiving Office (RO/US) | | | | | |
| 6. ☑ A translation of the International Application into Eng | lish (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). | | | | | |
| 7. ☑ Amendments to the claims of the International Applic a. ☐ are transmitted herewith (required only if not transm b. ☐ have been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for ma | itted by the International Bureau). | (3)) | | | | |
| d. ☑ have not been made and will not be made. | | | | | | |
| | A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). | | | | | |
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| 10 ☑ A translation of the annexes to the International Preli | minary Examination Report under 1 01 Autor | 30 (33 0.3.0. 37 1(0)(0)). | | | | |
| Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included: | | | | | | |
| 11. ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.9 | 7 and 1.98. | • | | | | |
| 12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cov | er sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and | 3.31 is included. | | | | |
| 13. ☑ A FIRST preliminary amendment. | | | | | | |
| ☐ A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment | ent. | | | | | |
| 14. A substitute specification. | | | | | | |
| 15. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. | | | | | | |
| 16. ☑ Other items or information: International Search Rep | ort. | | | | | |

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| 17, ⊠ The following fees are submitted: Basic National Fee (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)): | | | | | |
| Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO | | | | | |
| International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) \$670.00 | | | | | |
| No international preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) but international search fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) \$760.00 | | | | | |
| Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO | | | | | |
| International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(2)-(4) | | | | | |
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| Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than ☐ 20 ☐ 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)). | | | \$ | | |
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| NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status. | | | | | |
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